

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Capon et al.

Appln. No. 08/238,405

Filed: 5 May 1994



Group Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: R. Hayes

For: CHIMERIC CHAINS FOR RECEPTOR-ASSOCIATED SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION  
PATHWAYS

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 that the Examiner may deem relevant to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

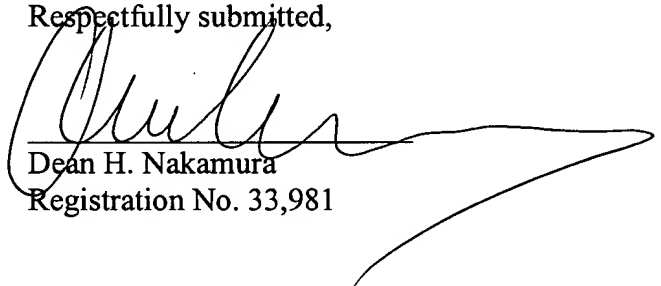
One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

The instant Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after a Final Office Action but before payment of the Issue Fee, and therefore Applicants are submitting herewith a check for the Petition fee of \$130.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i), a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) and a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d).

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The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the instant application. Applicants do not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the instant application.

Respectfully submitted,



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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)**

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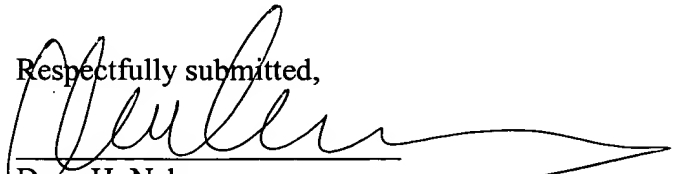
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Sir:

The undersigned hereby states:

That no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrently herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the undersigned after making a reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of said Information Disclosure Statement.

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